

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)	Examiner: V. MANOHARAN
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)	Art Unit: 1764
Serial No.: 09/831,213)	Confirmation: 2635
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Filed: May 3, 2001)	
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR)	
TREATING WATER FOR)	
EVAPORATION)	
)	
Date of Last Office Action:)	
April 11, 2002 (July 21, 2003))	
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Attorney Docket No.:)	Cleveland, OH 44114
MEDZ 2 1233 US)	July 31, 2003

REQUEST FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

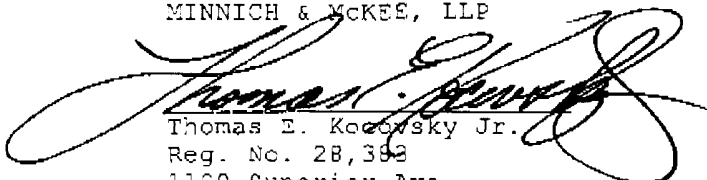
The initial period for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action, issued April 11, 2003, expired on July 11, 2003.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17, petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including August 11, 2003 in which to file a response.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge the amount of \$ 110.00 for the extension fee and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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